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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 3, 2002 ("Paper No. 7"), please consider the following remarks.

The Examiner has divided the claims into two groups:

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Group I:

Claims 1-20; and

Group II:

Claims 21-36.

Applicants hereby elect Group I (Claims 1-20), without traverse.

Applicants respectfully submit that the pending claims are in condition for allowance. An early notice to that effect is earnestly solicited. Should any matters remain outstanding, the

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